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Dear Ms. Senger:

This correspondence is in response to your Request for Additional Information (RFAI) for the above referenced report.

Regarding Schedule A - supporting Line 15, we have disclosed certain offsets to operating expenditures items described as INSURANCE from Frances L. Jaskulski, 1997 Kenney Family Trust and M. M. Boyce. These receipts are for group insurance premiums for former employees included in our insurance plan. The receipts from Cobraserv National Service are insurance premium payments they collect from our former employees participating in the federal COBRA health insurance program. Receipts from various state parties for MEALS are reimbursements of the actual cost of meals at our national committee meeting. Receipts from Maryland Sportsplex LLC and Samuel S. Fischer are from the sale of office equipment. We are amending our report to show you when the original disbursement report was filed for the receipts from the US Census Bureau and the United States Treasury.

With regard to Schedule B for Line 21(b) of our report, you questioned \$415,410.69 in memo entries as apparent disbursements for various vendors. We have confirmed with you that the actual sum of the entries in question is \$414,219.99. Regarding your question that these same memo entries do not appear to correspond with any itemized transaction(s), we believe not only that the items were correctly reported but also that the requested information had been included in the report as it was originally filed. The RNC files its monthly FEC report according to the constraints of the electronic filing system devised by the FEC. As such, every record has its own transaction ID. Additionally, our memo records for Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) include the prescribed Back Reference data to identify the associated itemized transaction. While the FEC website does make all of the information we submit available to the public through FEC Electronic Filing Report Retrieval services, the images of the printed report on the public website do not show this vital information. Apparently the method of report analysis at FEC and the program which provides the report image have not utilized this information in a way which would clarify this matter. After discussing with you how we can provide a remedy for your analysis question, we have determined that we can cause your report to show each memo entry immediately following its respective itemized transaction by applying an additional procedure to our data when we submit the report. In this way, the public and the analyst can associate the memo records with the appropriate itemized transaction visually as well as by electronic data analysis. We will adopt this as standard procedure on the report in question and subsequent reports that we file.

We are amending our report to properly disclose on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 29 of the Detailed Summary Page contributions to non-federal entities.

I trust this response answers your inquiry. If you need further clarification please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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ETEXT ATTACHMENT

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